

Media Information



Columbus Division of Police

Date: 9/11/2020

Traffic Bureau / Accident Investigation Unit

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Ext:

Type of Offense/Incident: Fatal Traffic Crash

Date: 9/11/2020

Time: 8:42 PM

Location of Offense/Incident: N. High St. and Rosslyn Ave.

Zone: 4

Precinct: 3

Incident Report #: 200688918

Cruiser District: 32

Victim: Denis R. Neidler

Sex: M

Race: W

Age: 63

Victim:

Sex:

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Suspect:

Address:

☐ Arrested ☐ Warrant on File

Sex:

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Suspect:

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Incident Summary: On Friday, September 11, 2020 at approximately 8:42 PM, Mr. Denis Neidler (63) of Rosslyn Ave. in Columbus, was walking across N. High St. south of Rosslyn Ave. not in a marked cross walk. At the same time Sheri Brethel (60) of Springhill Dr. in Columbus, was operating a 2017 Subaru Outback southbound on N. High St. As Mr. Neidler crossed over the southbound lanes of N. High St. Ms. Brethel struck him. CFD Medic 19 responded and transported Mr. Neidler to Riverside Methodist Hospital where he was pronounced dead at 9:12PM.

The Accident Investigation Unit responded and initiated an investigation, which is ongoing.

As of September 11, 2020 Columbus has had 51 fatal traffic accidents.

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